

# Piano Removal Sale.

We desire to announce that on or about March 1 next we will remove our warehouse from 1229 Pennsylvania Ave. These premises will shortly be placed in readiness for us, and after the changes now contemplated have been made, will be second to none in Washington in point of beauty or convenience.

We do not intend to remove one Piano or Organ to our new warehouse. All the present stock must be sold and sold quickly. To bring this about we will on Monday next commence a Piano sale the like of which has never been known in Washington. The following prices will carry away all the opportunities in Pianos and Organs. The terms will be equally liberal and attractive. No matter what kind of a Piano you want or what price you have decided upon paying, come here on Monday or any day next week, and we will demonstrate the "Bargains" awaiting you here.

Slightly used Knabe Baby Grand.....\$500	J. H. H. & Co. Upright.....\$125
Slightly used Knabe Cabinet Grand.....\$400	Bracket Upright.....\$100
Slightly used Knabe Cabinet Grand.....\$350	Wm. Knabe & Co. Squares, from \$100 to \$200
Upright.....\$250	Steinway Square, like new.....\$200
Single Walnut Upright.....\$225	Lebanon Square Grand.....\$125
Single Mahogany Upright.....\$200	Chickering Square.....\$75
Mason & Hamlin Upright.....\$175	Stanley Square.....\$60
Leister Upright.....\$160	Hallet & Davis Square.....\$50
Hamelin Upright.....\$150	Hallet & Davis Square.....\$50
J. & C. Fisher Upright.....\$150	Good Squares, various makes.....\$25

We will be glad to see you any day next week, but the earlier your call is made the better selection you will have.

**WM. KNABE & CO.,**  
1422 Pennsylvania Ave.

## "Dermatine"

takes away the redness—and roughness—cures "chapped" hands and lips—keeps the skin soft and smooth. Contains no grease. 25c. bottle.

**W. S. Thompson,**  
Pharmacist, 703 15th St.

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But the Little Wonder Gas Heater does the work like an expensive stove. Easy to install, quick and safe.

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**PLEATING. PLEATING.**  
We do all kinds, from 2c. per yard up. Also

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See Agents New Home Sewing Machine.

**COKE CHARMS**

—this coke as well as the house—coke—starts a fire quicker and burns more evenly than any other coke. Buy Coke for your kitchen range.

40 bu. Coke, uncrushed, \$2.90  
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Illustrate the architecture, art, mythology, manners and customs of the Egyptian, Assyrian, Roman and Sarcenic people to promote national galleries of history and art. Open week days from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Visitors during the day will receive a return ticket for the lecture by Mr. Franklin W. Smith, the curator, or an assistant, in the evening.

**Why Drink Muddy Water?**

Blackstone Island Water is crystal clear and positively untouched by drainage contamination.

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Open Late Tonight.  
**The Busy Corner.**

**A Big Bargain Time is Scheduled in Housefurnishings Tonight.**

The reasons for such a wholesale clearance are obvious. More plainly a necessity. Peculiar as it may seem, it is a case of both sides profiting—you in a money way—we in a business way. Your pocketbook takes on fat—ours gives it out to you. Too much stock at clearance time explains it all. The remedy is written below. We await you to administer the cure. Couldn't be more enticing to any economist.

**Housefurnishings.**

Sink Brushes, good quality, each.....1c.

Brook's Crystal Soap.....3c.

The Victor Oil Heating Stove, with extra large drum and nickel oil tank, holding one gallon of oil in wrought iron stand, will heat a large room; every stove warranted; regular price, \$5.50. Clearing Price.....\$3.95

Gas Heating Stove, with nickel top; will heat a large room. Clearing Price.....\$1.48

Coal Hod, full size, nicely japanned, has extra heavy bottom. Clearing Price.....12c.

Covered Ash Sifter, made of hard wood, to fit any size barrel; regular price, 60c. at.....48c.

Fire Shovel, stamped in one piece, full size. Clearing Price.....4c.

Wash Boiler, with cover, made of heavy tin, with patent bottom; regular price, 75c. Clearing Price.....48c.

Double Boiler, porcelain inside, two-quart size. Clearing Price.....49c.

Clothes Baskets, made of the best quality of wood, regular size; regular price, 30c. Clearing Price.....19c.

Clothes Hampers (round), with cover, strongly made. Clearing Price.....48c.

Dust Pans, nicely japanned, with wire-fastened Dust Brush, good quality. Clearing Price.....14c.

Zinc Washboard, family size, strongly made. Clearing Price.....10c.

Step Ladder, 5 feet high, strongly made and extra light, with pull shelf. Clearing Price.....48c.

White Cotton Clothes Line, 50 feet long, best quality. Clearing Price.....8c.

Shaw Cutter, family size, with steel knife. Clearing Price.....12c.

Galvanized Iron Water Pail, 10-quart size, extra heavy; regular price, 25c. Clearing Price.....12c.

**WASH. B. WILLIAMS,**  
Corner 7th and D Sts. N. W.

I will commence on Monday, January 8th instant, to sell in the Carpet Department all of the stock that can't be duplicated by the manufacturers at reduced prices.

**Tapstry Brussels Carpets**

Reduced to 40c., 50c. and 65c. per yd.

**Axminster Carpets**

Reduced to 95c., \$1.05 and \$1.10 per yd.

**Velvet Carpets**

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**Ingrain Carpets**

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100 pieces, running from 1 1/2, 2, 2 1/2, 3-yard lengths, 75c., \$1.00 each.

**WASH. B. WILLIAMS,**  
Dealer in Furniture, Carpets and Upholstery Goods,  
7th and D Sts. N. W.

**\$1 Miter Rugs 69c.**

One of our Grand Miter Rugs that are worth \$1.50, have been marked down to 69c.

to 3-yard remnants of Wilton, Axminster and Brussels Carpets have been marked at the self-selling price, per yard, 50c.

**The Houghton Co.,**  
1214 F St.

**FOR WEATHER STRIPS!**

Before another cold wave comes along see that your house is weather stripped. We sell the best Weather Strips for 15c. foot, and you can put them up yourself.

**John B. Espey,**  
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To be had only at

**The Shoemaker Co.,**  
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**WILL BRING SUIT.**

Proceedings to be Instituted Against Alleged Unlawful Occupants.

The United States attorney for the District of Columbia, it is understood, will soon institute proceedings in the Supreme Court for the District of Columbia, with certain persons and corporations for the alleged unlawful occupation of the Potomac flats. Soon after the handing down of the opinion of the Supreme Court of the United States in the Potomac flats case, the parties referred to were notified to vacate the premises they are accused of unlawfully occupying. The notice was repeated several times, but up to the 31st ultimo no attention had been paid thereto.

Leutenant Colonel Allen, the officer of the engineer corps, United States army, in charge of the matter, has, in consequence, laid the facts before the United States attorney for the District of Columbia, with the request that the aid of the court be sought in compelling the parties to vacate.

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**A Special Sale of**

**STEINWAY Upright Pianos**

of the 1890 style. Our business during December was unprecedented, but we have three Upright Grands of the latest scale pattern left in stock. We will offer each of these instruments at a special price on Monday, and will arrange terms to suit the purchaser.

**Droop's Music House,**  
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You don't have to add sugar.

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## THE SOCIAL WORLD

**Gayety of the Coming Week Forecasted.**

**THE REBER-MILES MARRIAGE**

**The Dinners, Teas and Other Hospitality Planned.**

**A SPANISH GRANDEE'S VISIT**

The second week of the season presents a varied program and one over which the official events cast a decided glamor. The diplomatic reception will occur Wednesday evening, and the assemblage at the Executive Mansion bids fair to be the most brilliant in years. The Bachelors' Cotillon Tuesday at the Hilles' Hall and Mrs. F. A. M. Hopkins' dinner, when her friends can play at being somebody else, are the dancing events most to the fore. The Reber-Miles wedding Wednesday at noon will stir all military and official society to its depths, and will contribute a marriage spectacle of more than usual beauty. Some of Washington's new hosts, Senator Dewey and Senator Keen, will give dinners. The first cabinet dinner of the year in honor of the President and Mrs. McKinley will be given at the home of the Secretary of State.

Mrs. Grant gave a notable dinner company last night, when her guests included the Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. Gage, the Secretary of the Interior and Mrs. Hitchcock, the Secretary of Agriculture and Senator and Mrs. Fairbank, the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Gage, the Secretary of the Interior and Mrs. Hitchcock, the Secretary of Agriculture and Senator and Mrs. Fairbank, the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Gage.

Mrs. Hensbrough, wife of Senator Hensbrough, has cards out for a tea Thursday, January 11.

Mrs. George Barrio, 1629 11th street, will give a tea Friday, January 12, 5 to 7. Mrs. Barrio receives Mondays in January.

Duke de la Torre, a Spanish grandee, now on a short tour of this country, has been in this city for the past week and has received many social attentions. Last night he dined at Mrs. C. S. Grant's. Duke de la Torre is the son of the late Marquis Serrano and Spain and is the third nobleman of his rank that country ever to have traveled in America. He will continue his tour as far west as Chicago. The duke is a young man and is delighted with his American impressions.

The Small and Early last night at Rauscher's was the attraction of the date to its subscribers and their guests. The event was the most successful of the season. When they entertained hosts of callers.

Mrs. Hitchcock gave a luncheon yesterday, when Miss Grace McKinley and Miss Sarah Duncan were the guests of honor. The company present included Mrs. McKinley, Miss Wilson, the Misses Griggs, Miss Allen, the Misses Greely, Miss Eliza Bates, Miss McKim, Miss Abbott, the Misses Wallace, Miss Cassels, Miss Hurst and Miss Allen.

Mrs. John Dalzell gave a beautiful luncheon yesterday in honor of Mrs. McCutcheon of Pittsburgh, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Talbot.

Mrs. and Mrs. Rudolph Kauffmann gave a dinner last evening.

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